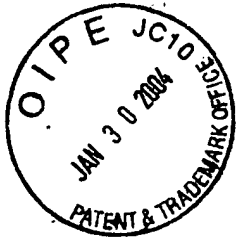


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### INVENTOR'S DECLARATION

As below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I an original, first, and joint inventor of the subject matter which is described and claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

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the specification of which was filed August 26, 2003 and assigned serial no. 10/648,716.

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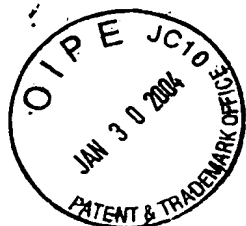
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### DECLARATION

As below named inventors, we, David J. Rauscher, William J. Gauthier, Shady Nader Henry and Kai Hortmann, hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is described and claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention, design or discovery entitled: POLYAMIDE SUPPORTED METALLOCENE CATALYSTS, the specification of which is being filed concurrently.

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We do not know and do not believe that said invention, design or discovery was ever known or used in the United States of America before our invention or discovery thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before our invention or discovery thereof, or more than one year prior to this application, or in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application; that said invention, design or discovery has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued prior to the date of this application in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by our or my legal representatives or assigns.

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A Certification Under 37 CFR § 3.73(b) is being filed concurrently with this paper. The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the juristic person identified above.

We declare that the below-named individual is authorized to execute this Power of Attorney on behalf of ASSIGNEE.

**ASSIGNEE CERTIFICATION**

In accordance with 37 CFR § 3.73 the ASSIGNEE hereby certifies that the evidentiary documents with respect to its ownership have been reviewed and that, to the best of ASSIGNEE's knowledge and belief, title is in the ASSIGNEE seeking to take this action.

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